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Mr. S. Paul Johnston, Director Institute of the Asronautical Sciences 2 East 64th Street New York 21, N. Y.

Dear Mr. Johnston:

Thank you for your letter of August 4 inviting me to address the 20th Honors Hight Dinner of the Institute of the Aeromautical Sciences at the Hotel Astor in New York on Jenuary 26, 1960.

I very much appreciate your kind invitation and I should like to accept in principle although the date is a little far in the future for me to be able to state unequivocally that I will not be cut of the country at the time. If agreeable, I should like to accept tentatively and let you know at the earliest possible moment that I can confirm it.

With best wishes.

Sincerely,

SIEMED

Allen V. Dulles Director

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